REQUIRED TO PAY LICENSE

Action of Committee as to Foreign Corporations.

SUFFRAGE CONFERENCES OPENS

Warm Debates on Education Are Brewing and Some Have Been Had-Convention and Political

The Corporation Committee of the Constitutional Convention was in session yesterday afternoon until allter 6 o'clock. Chairman Braxton had a full meeting. Consideration of eleven of the thirteen sections of that portion of the ordinance relating to the creation powers and control of corporations, was cone uded. With the exception of a few amendments, the sections were adopted as prepared by

Chairman Braxton
The section requiring foreign corporations to cotain teenes from the Corporation Commission to do business in the State, upon such terms and conditions as be prescribed by law, was one of

speeches the convention on different subjects. d he has given a great deal of though and study to the subject of suffrage, : I his effort in favor of his plan is e. ted to be an exceptionally powerful a eloquent one. Mr. Wysor's suffrage sch me is one that will suit the people of the Southwest, as a rule, but the great subject like that of tarm, has been found to be highly sectional and what is agreeable to the people beyond the mountains is bitterly fought by those in the Black Belt of the State. When Mr. Wysor shall have concluded his argument -which will probably require two nights-Mr. Braxton, of Augusta, is expected to advocate his plan before the conference. It is the opinion of those in close touch with the situation that Senator Carter Glass, of Lynchburg, will follow Mr. Brax-ton. Mr. Glass, it will be recalled, has recently presented a plan of his own. Congressman Flood will likely be the next speaker, and he will advocate the majority plan of the committee, of which he is one of the signers.

This programme will occupy about all of the coming week, and the orators are all among the most effective and attractive in the convention. No one yet sees the light of day on the suffrage question, and its consideration is likely to consume many more nights in party conference.

The fight over the State Board of Education has not ended by any means. As will I an evidence of this, a distinguished lead-time. er of the opposition to the committee's report made this threat last night: "I shall oppose the fixing of a minimum ap-Ing any appropriation whatever to their support. The section provides that when one of theese institutions ceases to have stid from the State its head shall cease to be a member of the logislature, I think I would be justified in refusing a deliar to be elected by would be justified in refusing a dollar to accomplish that object. I know I could be elected by my people on that platform." "Now, that is opposition with a vengeance, retorted another distinguished member.

In the election held in Virgin'a on the 5th of this month two propositions were voted upon besides those relating to the election of State officers and members of the Legislature. They were in relation to voting on amendments to the Conthird to voting on amendments to the con-stitution at some future election, and were both adopted by large majorities, though apparently little interest was

The first one was: "For the submission to the people of the proposed amendments to sections 1 and 2 of article 7 ot the Constitution of Virginia, and provid-ing for the consolidation of the spring elections for county and district officers held on the fourth Thursday in May, and Tuesday after the first Monday in No On this proposition the vote was as

follows: For, 14,909; against, 7,602. Materity in favor of the proposition 7,287. The second proposition was: "To pro-vide for the submission to the people of the proposed amendment to article 10 of the Constitution of Virginia with ref. ence to the tax imposed on any of the ence to the tax imposed on any of the citizens of the State for the privilege of taking or catching systems from their natural beds with tongs in the waters thereof, and striking from said article it of said Constitution the second clause." On this the vote was: For, 12.72

against, 8.259. Majority in favor of the proposition, 3.963. The acts submitting these questions to the people were approved March 6, 1900. It will be recalled ...at at that time no Constitutional Convention ...ad been ordered. Now that such a body is in ses-Bion, it is not thought these amendments will ever be submitted, as the conven-tion itself will no doubt look after the tion itself will so doubt look after the question of amending the Constitution in the respects mentioned above.

While Governor-elect Montague given no intimation as to what will be his policy as to the appointment of officers under the new regime, there is considerable gossip concerning the matter. cially at this time is this true with reference to the State Board of Fisheries, whose members have been here for some days compaling their annual report. There is a hot fight on hand for the presidency of the Board, now filled by Dr. Frank Prictcher, of Accomac. There are several prominent aspirants for the place, in addition to Dr. Fletcher, who is a candidate dition to Dr. Fistener, who is a candidate for reappointment. Captain Miller is un-derstood also to have opposition for the secretaryship. There is much talk along the line that all the members of the Board should be salaried officers. Another matter that is causing talk is that, if any ne be salaried, the salaries should b divided among the different sections of the State. At present the secretary and the president are the only paid members, and under the bill creating the Board, both the paid members are to come from Tidewater Virginia. A strong senti-ment prevails that all the members should be paid for the very efficient work that is now being done by the Board. It is not known whether or not any of the upland members of the Board will have

Hon. E. E. Montague, of Hampton, is in the city. Mr. Montague is a candidate for the judship of Elizabeth city and Warwick countles, to succeed the late Judge Baker P. Lee. A primary will be held on November 26th to determine who held on November 2011 to decrimine who shall have the place. It will be recalled that upon the recent death of Judge Lee, Governor Tyler appointed Mr. S. J. Pud-Governor Tyler appointed Mr. S. J. Pud-ley to fill the position until the Legisla-ture shall choose Judge Lee's Successor, altegether univer "H. Pike, Wilson Whis-There are three candidates for the key, That's All."

It is very unlikely if Rev. J. T. Rout-ten, pastor or Denny-Street M. E. Church, and Rev. McDaniel Rucker, pastor of Brulah. Mt. Pleasant. Willis and Lau-rij Hill —urches. Will be returned to

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place. They are Judge Dudley, Mr. Montague and Mr. F. S. Collier.

Much interest is being manifested in the fate of the Barbour-Quaries liquor resolution, upon which the Committee on Bill of aughts will take final action on Thurs day afternoon. The church people of all those who oppose the pramiscuous grantthose adopted.

The employers' Hability bill was discussed at, as length, and will be further considered to-merrow afternoon.

The feature of the suffrage conference to-morrow night promises to be the opening argument by Delegate Joseph C. Wysor, of Pulaski, in favor of his minority sor, of Pulaski, in favor of his minority opposion. They have now become explan. ing of liquor licenses have been and are ercised, however, and have apparently succeeded in changing the views of some of the members of the committee. It is now believed by those close to the situa-tion that the committee will vote to ad-versely report the resolution on Thursday

> Delegate B. A. Davis, of Franklin, who was injured in a railroad wreck some time ago, and who on that account has been absent from his seat in the conven-tion for over a month, has so far recovwhich he did last night. Mr. Davis's arm

THE CONTINENTAL IN PETERSBURG

Will Start Up the Venable Branch First of Year.

BOND PARALYZED.

Attacked on the Street, and Would Lave Fallen but for the Assistance of Friends-A Valuable Dog Killed

by Electric Car.

(Special Dispatch to The Times.)
PETERSBURG, VA., Nov. 16.—Arrangements are being made by the Continental Tobacco Company for the starting up of the Venable branch of the company this city. Work will be commenced the first of the year, at which time the company expects to employ a large additional force of hands.

Captain Antrobus Bond, a well known citizen of this city, was paralyzed at 12:30 o'clock this afternoon. Captain Bond was wilking along Hallfax Street, when he was stricken, and would have fallen to the pavement but for the assistance of triends, who were passing at the time. He was taken to his home on Brown Street and the doctor summoned, and it was found that the whole of his right side was affected.

On the connected for

many years with the Tobacco Association and Warehouse in this city as auctioneer.
HIS FOOT CUT.

Frank L. Smith, ship carpenter, em ployed at the shipyard on Swan's Island, had his foot badty cut yesterday while decessing a piece of lumber. Georgie Carter, the colored woman con-

ricted of larceny, has taken an appeal brough her counsel, to the Hustings Court of Petersburg.

A valuable beagle hound, owned by Mr.

A valuable beagic hound, owned by Mr.
W. A. Herzog, was killed by an electric
car on Hallfax Street this morning.
A CARD PARTY.
Mrs. P. L. Roper entertained a few of
her friends at a card party last night.
Messrs. J. Powell Watson and Marshall
Pyne, Jr., left this morning to visit
friends in Norfolk.

Mr. and Mrs. John T. Pleasants, of Bal-

JUSTICE.

(Written for the Sunday Times.)

When to a picture we would play true host We hang it where it shows its beauties most. So much at least we owe to every friend-Judge him when lights and shadows justly blend.

is still giving him some trouble, but it will probably be entirely well in a short

Very little interest is being manifested in the special election to be held here on Tuesday, December 3rd, to chose a suc-cessor to Delegate Newton, who recently resigned his seat in the Constitutional Convention. The only candidate before

NINE DEAD AT THE BABY MINE

Two Bodies in Sight That Cannot be Reached-Fan Started and

Ventilation Improved.

(Special Dispatch to The Times.) PCCAHONTAS, VA., Nov. 16.-A large force of men have been at work all last noticed a small glare, of light in the rear night and to-day in the Baby mines at this place, trying to extinguish the fire. Th: Ian to the west nine has been running and there being a connection between two mines, the effect has been to draw the gasses from the Baby mines to some exient, but not much headway has yet been made and the fire is not yet under control.

Two more dead Hungarians have been located, but could not be reached on ac-count of the fire, damp and deadly gasses. The work fighting the fire is beng pushed and it is hoped it will soon be inder control.

The injured are doing as well as could

be expected and all are on a fair road to recovery. The dead recovered and two Hungarians located, but still in the miens, make the total number of dead nine.

(By Assorlated Press.)

ROANOKE, VA., Nov. 16.—Chief of Fire

Department McFall to-day received a telegram from the Chief of Fire Depart-ment, at Pocahontas, asking that sev-eral hundred feet of hose be sent as soon as possible to Pocahontas, the Baby mine, at that place, still being on fire.
The fire in the mine is still raging and
more hose was needed.

SENT TO JAIL.

Newspaper Men Were, However, Released on liabeas Corpus Proceedings.

(By Associated Press.) CHICAGO, ILL., Nov. 16.-Judge Hanccy to-day passed sentence on Andrew M. Lawrence, managing editor, and H. S. Canfield, reporter of W. R. Heart's Chicafor contempt of court, and ommitted them to forty and thirty days risonment, respectively, in the county

on a petition, drawn up in behalf of wrence and Canfield, Judge Dunne is-sued a habeas corpus order, commandng the sheriff to bring them before his

The convicted men were confined in jail only forty minutes, and, when they ap-peared before Judge Dunne they were rebonds fixed a \$2,000 each ing the hearing of the petition for the writ of habeas corpus on Monday, No-

FIRE ON CATHERINE STREET

Blaze in House Owned by Mr. Heppert-Lause Unknown.

The house, No. 1012 Catherine Street, owned by Mr. Joseph Reppert, who has suffered two disastions files this year, was partially burned just after 3 o'took his morning. The cause of the fire is

The damage is not serious. Dan Brooks and Ben Gr mes occupied the house

-CLINTON DANGERFIELD.

timore, are visiting in the city. Mr. William Budd left this morning for New Castle, Del., where, on Tuesday, November 19th, he will be married to Miss Virginia Spotswood Cooper, of that city.

FULTON ALARMED. Fire Bug Makes Three Attempts at Arson. ersocal Notes

There is a fire-bug in Fulton and his

There is a fire-bug in Fulton and his whereabouts are unknown.

Three attempts at arson have been made in the past week. The first two were blacksmith shops and the third was an unusual one—an ice-wagon.

Attempts were made earlier in the week to destroy Nelson's blacksmith shop, at the corner of the week at the week at the corner of the week at the corner of the week at the week.

the corner of e-venth and Orleans Streets. Fortunately the lire was discovered in the rear of the shop and extinguished before it had gained much headway. On Wednesday night the fire-bug visited the blacksmith shop of Washington & Watkins, which is a short distance from the other ones, and set fire to the rear of it. A farmer coming into the city the corner of zeventh and Orleans Streets chanced to see the flickering blaze and extinguished it. The last visit reported was early Friday morning, when the ice-wagon of Mr. Richard Eacho was found to be on fire on the 'nside. Policeman Peterfield Vest and Private Watchman Coleman were patrolling along Williamsburg Ayenue, when Watchman Coleman of R. Nelsen's store. They rushed back to the rear of the store, expecting to find the out-houses of the store on fire. The vigilant police were fooled, for it was only the ice-wagon standing in the was found that the inside of the way gon had been saturated with kerosene ve been oil. An old well was close at hand and he "cops" formed a bucket brigade and the ice-wagon was saved. Mr. Eacho e is be. cannot account for the fire, unless it was ncendiary. police are on the lookout and will

restigate every clue. The O. K. Social Club, one of the most flourishing organizations of the East End, intertained a number of their friends with a social and supper on last Monday night. The social was given at the resinight, The Schal was given at the residence of Miss Annie Maxey, No. 216 Nich-olson Street. The residence was taste-fully decorated with potted ferns and plants. Miss Maxey was assisted in re-ceiving her guests by Misses Ivoz and Maude Faulconer and Annie and Maggie Tyree. The evening was spent in parior games and musical selections, after which in elegant collation was served. Those present were Misses Cordie Tyrce, Mary Lotsey, Maggle Schaaf, Fannie Wright Katie Lotsey, Anna Tyroe, Ola Strand, Lillian Meanley, Mary Atkins, Ivillor Tamerson, and Nettie Cumber; Messrs. Ville Clark George Daly Charles For Jussen, Daniel Hogan, Asher Bottoms, Loroy Sharp, Robert Lotsey, Elmore Wilkerson, Charles Barker, John Dowlen, Eddie Butler, Charles Wade, Lewis Rockicharlie, Willie Mays, Ernest Jor-dan, Louis Milleton, Eddie Harris, Thomas Wood, Eddie Burnett, Robert Burns and Charles Meanley.

Cup of Cold Water Circle of King's Daughters and Sons met at the residence of Mrs. F. H. Garber on Monday night. The following officers were elected for the ensuing term: Leader, Miss Martha; Vice-Leader, Miss Sallie Mancley: Secretree-Leader, Aliss Suite Manoley, Secretary, Miss Love Reams; Treasurer, Miss Josle Manoley. The Circle will meet on Monday night at the residence of Miss Buulah Reams, of Nicholson Street.

The O. K. Social Club will meet on Mon-

day night at the residence of the Misses Letsey, No. 3411 East Marshall Street. Election of officers takes place and the club desires full attendance of members. Russell Astley is quite ill at the residence of his father, on Cemetery Heights.
The Ledies' Auxiliary Society of DennyStreet M. E. Church will meet on Monday
afternoon with Mrs. Lee Jordan, of Wil-

iamsburg Avenue. The Ladies' Aid Society of Fulton Bap-The Lagues And society of Piliton Exp-tist Church gave a chocolate social at the residence of Mrs. Chas. Deoppe, of Louis-iana Street, on Thursday night. The so-cial was given for the benefit of the "Bell Fund" and the ladies realized a neat sum. The evening was most enjoyably spent in parlor games and vocal and instrumental

selections. It is very unlikely if Rev. J. T. Rout-

their present charges. Mr. Routten has been paster of Denny-Screet for three

he Chesapeake and Ohlo through Fulton and its elevated yards will soon be completed. The spans of the viaduct across Denny, Louisiana and Orleans Street have been put in place. The huge traveller at work has attractod considerable attention. The work or

ed considerable attention. The work on the round-house is well under way and will be completed about December 1st.

The Builders' League of Denny-Street M E. Church will meet on Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Elisha McDonough.

Mr. and Mrs. William S. Lawder will celebrate their golden wedding on Tuesday, November 26th. Mr. Lawder is the father of ex-Alderman J. Harry Lawder.

Mr. Norman Jordun, who has been quite sick, is improving.

The stable of Reams & Co. was slightly danaged by fire yesterday afternoon. The fire was occasioned by sparks from a wood engine. It was promptly extinguished.

MR. EPPS ILL.

Mr. French Epps is extremely ill at the Virginia Hospital with typ. - lever.

Mrs. Milstead, mother of alrs. J. T. Mounteastle, is quite ill at her residence.

on Graham Street

The entertainment and oyster supper, given by the ladies of Four-Mile Creek Church Thursday evening, was an eminent success. An attractive programme had been arranged by Miss Emily Golden man been arranged by Miss Emily Golden, which was thoroughly enjoyed by a present. The feature of the evening was a solo by Miss Etta Tutwier. Quite a nice sum was realized, with which the ladder bear to be the company of the ladder bear to be the company of the ladder bear to be the ladder bear to be sum of the ladder bear to be sum

the ladies hope to paint the church.

Mr. J. W. Southard, of Variata, who has been confined to his bed, is able to be out again.

Mrs. Alfred Brow nis much improved.

Mr. Freeman F. Irby and wite, of Tree Hill, are visiting friends in Nottoway

county.

Mrs. C. P. Kennedy, of Edge Alli, re-turned Wednesday from Philadelphia, where she has been visiting friends.

OBITUARY.

Lemuel F. Seay.

Mr. Lemuel F. Seay, the ship carpenter, who was seriously injured at the launching of the Chesapeake and Ohio steamer Virginia at the Trigg ship-yards on Tuesday, at noon, died at the Retreat for the Sick yesterday at 10 o'clock.

Mr. Seay was caught between the trap work which supported the stern and a large rock and his right leg was crushed. He was taken to the Retreat immediately, Friday afternoon gangrene set in and the leg was amputated at the knee

and the leg was amputated at the knee Mr. Scay never railled from the effects of the operation and died at the above Mr. Seav was in the fifty-third year of

her age and was born in Fluvana coun-ty. He had been employed at the ship-yard as a ship carpenter for the past three years and was held in high esteem by his employes. He is survived by his wife, four sons-John, Thomas, Gordon and Clemmett; two daughters-Gracy and Edna, who is only ten months of see; three brothers—Fent, of this city; Marion and Eli, of Fluvanna county and two sisters—Mosdames Shelf and Lonnie Seay

of this city.

Mr. Seay was Past Councilor of Patrick Henry Council Jr. O. U. A. M., and was one of the oldest members of the council. He was also a member of the Carnenters' Union and the Relief Association of the Works.

The body was removed from the Retreat this afterneon to his late residence. No. 3815 Fourth Street, Fulton. Mr. Seay was a member of the Apostolic Church, of Fulton.

Miss Bern'ce Tucker.

Miss Bernice Tücker, daughter of Mr. Daniel W. Tucker, died yesterday at her home in Powhatan county after an illness of several weeks from typhoid fever. The funeral will take place to-morro clock from Cedarville Church in that

William Holmes,

Henry E. Holmes has been called to Paterson, N. J., on account of the death of his father, William Holmes, who was resident of this city from 1860 to 1880

Charles B. Havnes Mr. Charles B. Haynes, of Middletown, died Tuesday night in Atlanta, Ga. The remains were interred near Aiddletown

Major John W Brockenbrough.

(Special Dispatch to The Times.)
BALTIMORE, MD., Nov. 16.-Mrs. John Bowyer Brockenbrough, of this city, to-day received information of the death of her husband, Major John Bowyer Brockenbrough, in Evansten, Wyoming, Major Brockenbrough was a native of Lexing-ton, Va., and a member of the Virginia tar. He was born in 1835 and served in the Confederate army in Stonewall Jackson's Brigade. His first wife was Miss Alice Murrell, of Lynchburg.

Major Brockenbrough was Stonewall Jackson's chief of artillery until desperwounded He was a son of the late Judge John W. Brockenbrough, of Lexing-ton, Va. 'His three sons of his first marriage are prominent farmers of Bedford county, Mrs. Alfred B Preston of Bote. Church, in Bedford, are his daughters. Major Brockenbrough accented a luring the Cleveland administration, and ias since that time been a resident of the West. He is well known in Richmond

Dr. C. L. Harmanson.

(Special Dispatch to The Times.)
ONANCOCK, VA., Nov. 16.—Dr. Chas. . Harmanson, a prominent physician and itizen of Onancock, died at his home eria. He was a graduate of the Uni ersity of Virginia and Pennsylvania. He as twice married-first to Miss Anne ing Battane, by whom he has two young laughters, and in April, 1901, to Miss Sal-ie Teomer Moss. His death was very udden. He was 43 years old.

(Special Dispatch to The Times.)
DELAPLANE, VA., Nov. 16.—Rev. John
Raymond, pastor of several Baptist
hurches in Fauquier, died at his home Marshall on the 12th instant, of pneumonia. He was first attacked by but did not consider himself very the was a man of indomitable energy, though a cripple from very early youth, which rendered him incapable of riding on horseback or walking any distance. He was a forceful speaker and a model He leaves a wife and three chil dren, and, very fortunate for his family they have received news since his death that a claim against the Government had been decided in their favor. Rev. W. T. White.

(Special Dispatch to The Times)

PETERSBURG, VA., Nov. 16.-Rev. W. r. White died at his residence on Jeffer, on Street last night at 8:30 o'clock after son Street last night at \$3.30 o clock after an illness of several months. Mr. White was well known in this city, where .e was highly esteemed for his undaunted courage and high sense of honor. He was at one time a member of the Virginia Conference, but had not been actively engaged in ministerial work for many

He was tiler of Petersburg Lodge, No. 15, and Blandford Lodge, No. 3 of Mas-ons, and was also tiler of Petersburg Union, Royal Arch Chapter. He was in the seventy-ninth year of his age. Norman Davis.

(Special Dispatch to The Times.)

NOTUFOLK, VA., Nov. 16,-Norman Da-NOM: OLIK, VA., Nov. 16.—Norman Davis, once mate of the old Washington steamer Excelsior, was found dead in his room here this morning. His death is attributed to alcoholism.

DEATHS.

QUARLES.—Died, at her residence, No. 1014 N. Seventh Street, Mrs. ARIE QUARLES, Friday evening, November 15, 1901.
Funeral at First Baptist Church TO-DAY (Sunday) at 1 P. M.

TRAIN WRECKED BY DYNAMITE

Police Believe it Was Attempt a. Robbers to Wreck Buffalo

Express-

YORK, PENN., November 16.—South-western express on the Northern Central Rallway, due in this city at 10:44 P. M. was wrecked last night by a charge of dynamite placed under the track near the Black Bridge, a short distance north of Fork. The train was running at the rate of forty-five miles an hour when the explosion occurred. Passengers on the explosion occurred. Passengers on the train were severely shocked and con-sternation prevailed. All escaped in-jury. A piece of rall two and a half jury. A piece of rall two and a half feet long was blown out of the track and three coaches were derailed and drawn over the ties a distance of 200 feet before the train was brought to a stop. Engine No. 3053, which drew the train, had its acadiight blown off and the windows of the cab were shattered. The trucks under an express car and a day coach were badly wrecked.

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Four Pullman cars, a day coach, a combination car and an express car com-

posed the train. The spot where the wreck occurred is surrounded by high hills on one side and the Cogorus creek on the other and is one of the loneliest places between Har-risburg and Baltimore. It is believed the object of the perpetrators was rob-bery. The police officials advance the theory that the robbers had set the dy-namite for the Buffalo Express, which is said to carry considerable money, but, for some unaccountable reason, that train passed over the charge without explod-

CINCINNATI RACES.

Most Successful Meeting for Years at Latonia Track Closed Y sterday.

(Br Associated Press.) CINCINNATI, Offilo, Nov. 18.—To-day's racing brought to a close the most suc-cessful fall meeting held at the Latonia track in years. Summaries:

First race-six furlongs, selling-Fleuron (4 to 1) first, Sad Sam (9 to 1) second, Arachne (7 to 1) third. Time, 1:15%. Second race-mile, selling-Bill Massie (3 to 1) first, Free Admission (7 to 1) second, Kunja (9 to 1) third, Time, 1:41.

Third race—mile, selling—Leenja (5 to 1)

first, Paul Creyton (5 to 2) second, St. Hera

(even) third. Time, 1:42%.
Fourth race—mile and one-eighth, handicap—Schnell Laufer (18 to 5) first, J.
II. Sloan (6 to 5) second, Woodtrice (5 to

1) third. Time, 1:54%.
Fifth race-five furlongs—Lady Wadsworth (6 to 1) first. The Boston (3 to 2) second, Throstle (3 to 1) third. Time,

Sixth race-two miles, selling-Lord Farendole (15 to 1) first, Pretty Rosie (10 to 1) second, Barbee (4 to 1) third. Time,

made a mistake in kidnapping Miss Stone. There is no longer any fear regarding the brigands' intentions toward the cap-tives. They declare themselves to be not robbers, but patriots, performing an obnoxious task in the interests of a holy cause. The majority of the kidnappers are peasants and farmers directed by a secret con mittee to execute its decisions.

LARGE FIRE WAS PREVENTED.

Main-Street Rusin: ss House Discovered in a

Light Blaze Late Last Night. The prompt discovery and quick reponse by the fire department prevented what might have been a serious fire late last night at the glue manufacturing plant of Thomas Christian, No. 1418 East Main Street. Policeman Kuhn, white pa-trolling his beat, discovered volumes of smoke gushing from the rear of the building. He rushed to Box 31 at fetr-teenth and Main Streets and turned in the alarm. Engines 2, 3, 7 responded by distinctly increased by their components.

promptly. fire occurred in the third floor, in which was stored a vast quantity of chemical and used in the manufacture of photographers' supplies. \. hen the through the roof into the building cocu-

pied by William Daffron.

Prompt action by the men, under the
command of Chief Puller, soon extinguished the fire. The remainder of the building was slightly damaged by water. Mr. Christian's loss will amount to about \$350, which is covered by insurance.

BENNINGS RACES.

Knight of Rhodes Was the Only Winging Favorite.

(By Associated Press.) WASHINGTON, Nov. 16 .- Scratches in the second Distance Special reduced the field to three starters at Bennings to-day. In this race Knight of Rhodes, at the pro-hibitive price of 1 to 20 in the first heat, and 1 to 10 in the second heat, proved the only winning favorite of the day, second choices winning three of the four other races. The Steeplechase proved an excit-ing event from the start, and was won by Cousin Jess in a driving finish from Jim

McGibbon, The summaries:
First race—mile and fifty yards—Myncer
(7 to 2) first, Cherished (5 to 1) second,
Surmise (3 to 1) third. Time, 1:48 3-5.
Second race—five and a half furlongs— Annk (5 to 2) first, Colonel Bill (11 to 20) no. Missile (60 to 1) third. Time, 1:00 second. Missile (60 to 1) third. Time, 1:00
Third race—Steeplechase, about two and a half miles—Cousin Jess (10 to 1) first, Jim McGibbon (5 to 2) second. Self-Protection (100 to 1) third. Time, 1:051/s.
Fourth race—Distance Special: First heat—Knight of Rhodes (1 to 20) first, Courtesy (10 to 1) second. Tankard also ran, but distanced.

Second heat—Knight of Rhodes (1 to 10)

Second heat-Knight of Rhodes (1 to 10) first. Courtesy (7 to 1) second.
Fifth race-seven furlouss-Unmasked (9 to 2) first, The Puritan (2 to 1) second.
Roxane (5 to 2) third. Time, 1:28 3-5.

Brief Local Items.

Mrs. Walter Russell and Miss Ida Don-nally, of No. 308 East Main Street, le't to-day for a short visit to Dr. Donnally, of Washington, D. C. Major Robert A. Brown, of General

McArthur's staff, late of the Philippine Islands, is in the city, accompanied by his wife. They are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Landstreet. of West Grace Street. Major Brown was in command of Troop G. Fourth United States Cavalry, during the hot fight on the island.

willie Patterson, a negro man, was shot in the back late last night by another negro, unknown, in a barroom on North Seventh Street. The ball was removed by Dr. Murrell, of the ambulance Willie Patterson, a negro man, was shot in the back late last night by another negro, unknown, in a barroom on North Seventh Street. The ball was removed by Dr. Murrell, of the ambulance corps.

Mr. John J. Doyle, formerly of Richmann and cadets of the Virginia Polytech-

"Berry's for Clothes."



An **Embarrassing** Position.

A mask will do little good, for your dress will deceive

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AWAY DOWN

News Notes and Gossip Gathered from the

Louislana Croo Reports.

The weather during the past week has been all that could be wished for har-vesting operations. It is true that there was some fear early in the week that cotton had been damaged by frost, but this impression has been much modified by the more recent reports. The fine bright weather which has prevailed since has not only helped the maturing of such cotton as is yet backward, but has great-

of the crop.

There seems no reason to doubt that the New Orleans district has produced a very good crop of cotton this season, although the crop is probably a little late. Should the crop as a whole be short enough to insure a good range of

than was the case last season.-New Or-

Florida's Good Fortune.

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Florida has recovered largely from the calamity inflicted upon her eight years ago by the freeze that came near destroying every orange grove in the State.

For several seasons Florida oranges were very scarce, and there are no others worthy to be compared to them.

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The orange season in that State, will has just opened, barring accidents, will be very profitable. There is by far the largest crop that has been grown since the freeze, and the fruit is said to be the freeze, and the fruit is said to be as a result of the presence of the elders in this State in the neighborhood of 700 in the nei

Koester Ki led the Negro.

ter protested that it should not be done. "We'd like to see you help it," said one of the leaders. "Ti kill him first," answered Koester, and it is said that he whinned out a revolver and fired. ter claimed to have acted with the de-sire to save the negro from slow tor-ture. The mob, he said, was blood-thirsty and wild for the negro's life. but was not willing to kill him outright. The Koester element claim now that ho did a humane act, inasmuch as he was powerless to save the negro.-Savannah

MAKE A REDUCTION.

Brigands Would Accept £15,000 Turkish for Miss Stone

(By Associated Press.)

SOFIA, BULGARIA, November 16.—The brigands who captured Miss Stone and her companion have reduced the amount of ramsom to £20,000 Turkish, and if convinced that this is more than Mr. Dickinson will give, would accept £15,000. Even this sum is greatly beyond the cash at Mr. Dickinson's disposal.

An agent who is in touch with the brigands reports that they recognize they made a missake in kidnapping Miss Stone.

The weather recently has been all that could be desired for harvesting rice, hence, as a result, the crop is moving to market rapidly. The quality of the deliveries is also reported to be uncommonly good, the dry season preventing the usual percentage of wet, damaged and stack-burned grain.

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license was refused by the City Council he decided to leave before that time, The elder, who has been in Savannah several months, says that he made a house-to-house canyass and distributed the literature of his faith Mr. Clagg says that the elders are better The whole country felt Florida's mis-fortune, and the whole country is hap-py over Florida's partial and continuing recovery from it.

The orange season in that State, which The orange season in that State, which the form the South and the state at this time, and 600 in the South against 12 now.

Mr. Clagg says that the purpose of the elders in visiting the South was to right says that the elders are being withdrawn from the South and sent to foreign coun-tries. There were 41 elders in Georgia

> To Separate the Races. The City Council Thursday night at &

of Pennsylvania addressed the students of Richmond College yesterday morning. Private and public launches will be Private and public launches will be built in this city on a large scale if the plans of Captain J. P. Goodwin and M. P. McDonough are perfected. Captain J. P. Goodwin stated yesterday that he was so highly pleased with the trial of his new launch "Viola" that they had decided to enter the launch business provided. to enter the launch business provided

to enter the launch business provided they can secure a desirable site. The T. P. A. members could not secure a querum last night, and no meeting was held. A special meeting has been called for Tuesday night to transact important business. Dr. S. Galeski has left the city for a few days to look after his interest in

The Ladise Alu _ r byterian Church will hold an "old-fasn ed" fair in the lecture-room of the church, beginning Tuesday and continuing until Friday night. A musical programme win

Sergeant Junius A. Cosby Monday night

lost his silver badge in transferring it from one cont to another. The finder will receive a reward by leaving it at the Second Police Station. Mr. L. O. Wenderburg will leave for DeWit, Dinwiddle county, to defend Al-

ting two people. Thursday afternoon, while on her way from Sacred-Heart School, Marie Jarvis was knocked down by a horse and buggy. Her injuries were not serious, how

fred Allen, the negro charged with cut-

V. P. I.'s at the Bijou.

mond, died in Philadelphia on Wednes- nic Institute were present. They occumond, died in Philadelphia on Wednes-lay.

Congressman Lamb will offer a bill at performance. They gave their college performance the first and second acts. Congressman Lamb will older a sixty the forthcoming session of Congress for yell between the first and second acts the forthcoming session of Congress for yell between the first and second acts. During the last two acts the principal repairs and additions to the present lot players of the company were the Blacksoffice building by filling in the vacant lot to the east of the present structure.

Rev. Dr. Penniman, of the University

Rev. Dr. Penniman, of the University several hits at the cadets appropriate to the occasion. The score of the game was displayed on the stage. Those present were Messrs, Weisiger, Ingles, Mitchell, Huffard, Priddy, Albert Waddey, Shief, W. P. Waddey, Hutchenson, Minor, Mills, Bolton, Davidson, McCormick, Sayers, Turner, Bates, Ramey, Carpenter, Abbott, Steele, Campbell, Ware, Chalkley,

Alumni to Meet.

The alumni of Richmond College will hold a special meeting to-morrow morn-ing at 10 o'clock in the Y. M. C. A. parlors for the consideration of the endowment of the Chair of Greek at the college as a memorial to the late H. H. Harris, for many years an occupant of the chair. A full attendance is earnestly requested.

Fire in the County There was a fire in Henrico late last

night, some miles from the city, and ap-parently near the Richmond, Fredericks-lurg and Potomac Railroad. The bright illumination indicated that there might be a fire in the woods.

Telegraphic Brevitles.

CHATTANOOGA, TENN.-The Good

Roads Convention came to a close here

this evening, and the Good Roads Spe-cial left for Birmingham, Ala, where the next convention will be held. FORT WORTH, TEXAS.-After the spirit of congratulation was displayed in last night's session, members of the W. C. T. U. National Convention settled down to work this morning with renewed

zeal and determination. MACON, GA .- Mercer's University faculty announces to-day that they have the \$50,000 endowment required to be raised as a condition under which John D. Rockefeller is to donata \$15,000 to the institu-

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SOUTH IN DIXIE

South.

Tribute to General Hampton. In all history no man has won a prouder name in public affairs than General Wade Hampton, of South Carolina. He

Elder Class says that he leaves a Sun-day-school of sixteen Mormons, but that it is not likely that any other elders will come here in the near future. had been his intention to remain in the city until Christmas, but when permis-sion to sell Mormon literature without a

Savannah News.

spirited meeting, and after discussion, which became animated at times, passed the bill known as Bill G. No. 24, regulat-Koester Kiled the Negro.

Friends of George R. Koester, whose appointment as Collector of Internal Revenue for South Carolina is opposed because he took part in a lynching in Lexington county some years ago, have made a statement of the affair. According to this version, Koester, who is editor of the Columbia Record, went with the mob to report the lynching. When the negro was caught he was strung to a tree and the mob was making ready to burn him alive when Koes-